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# DEPARTMENT OF CODE ENFORCEMENT PLUMBING BOARD

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J. Mike Mondrick., Plumbing Inspector
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Ralph A. Rossi, Sr. Stephen M. Jones

#### PLUMBING BOARD MEETING MINUTES

<u>Date</u>: March 18, 2010 <u>Time</u>: 4:00 p.m.

Place: City Hall, Codes Enforcement Office

Present: J. Michael Mondrick, Mike Holst, Jim Phillips, Gary Scharf and Mark Domenico

**Excused:** Frank Tallarino

### **Summary of Discussion**

Mike Mondrick welcomed the new board members, introduced everyone and made sure that all members had been sworn in at the City Clerk's Office.

Mark Domenico thanked the new board members for agreeing to serve on the Plumbing Board for the City of Rome. Mark then gave an overview of the plumbing program and its re-organization including rewriting local code to address inequities in order to be fair and consistent with qualifications such as sitting for the plumbing exam, and exam testing by having an outside source, "Prometric". Prometric comes in and administers the exam insuring fairness, any updates in the code, and any possible grading issues. Exams are now given on a regular schedule, January and June.

Mark commended Mike Mondrick with implementing such monumental changes as the consistent issuance of plumbing permits and inspections along with coordinating continually with our building inspectors to uphold the integrity of this department.

The new plumbing board members received our current local code. Mike expressed his thoughts of wanting to see more restrictions on our local law regarding water services and he hopes that the board can take a look at this. Mark stated that he was open to anything regarding changes that this new board might want to see happen and explained to the board what the process for making these changes entailed.

Meeting Closed: 5:00 p.m.

**Next Meeting:** Thursday, April 15, 2010

Respectfully submitted

Jean I. Grande